Case: 2:25-cr-00065-JLG Doc #: 1 Filed: 04/18/25 Page: 1 of 2 PAGEID #: 1

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

FILED RICHARD W. NAGEL CLERK OF COURT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

VS.

TIMOTHY WILLIAM GRIMES,

Defendant.

CASE NO

JUDGE

INFORMATION

18 U.S.C. § 1001(a)(2)

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION

THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY CHARGES:

COUNT ONE

(False Statement)

1. On or about August 1, 2023, in the Southern District of Ohio, the defendant, TIMOTHY WILLIAM GRIMES, did willfully and knowingly make a materially false, fictious, and fraudulent statement and representation in a matter within the jurisdiction of the executive branch of the Government of the United States, that is: When agents of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives asked GRIMES who he was with when he purchased multiple firearms from Powers Defensive Tactics, LLC, GRIMES stated that he arrived in a red truck with two white males and a female (N.S.). The statement was false because, as GRIMES then and there knew, he arrived at Powers Defensive Tactics, LLC, in a black sedan and entered the store to purchase firearms with a black female (J.J.), who is a convicted felon and prohibited from purchasing and possessing firearms.

In violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1001(a)(2).

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION

2. Upon conviction of the offense set forth in Count One of this Information, the

defendant, TIMOTHY WILLIAM GRIMES, shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to 18

U.S.C. § 924(d)(1) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), any firearms and ammunition involved in or used in

such violation, including but not limited to:

• A Glock Model 32, 9mm pistol, bearing serial number AHLR763, with any

attachments;

A Beretta Model APX, 9mm pistol, bearing serial number A148035X, with any

attachments; and

A Smith & Wesson Model SD9VE, 9mm pistol, bearing serial number FBF6715.

with any attachments.

SUBSTITUTE ASSETS

3. If any of the property described above, as a result of any act or omission of the

defendant: (a) cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence; (b) has been transferred or

sold to, or deposited with, a third party; (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the court;

(d) has been substantially diminished in value; or (e) has been commingled with other property

which cannot be divided without difficulty, it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to 21

U.S.C. § 853(p), as incorporated by 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), to seek forfeiture of any other property

of the defendant, up to the value of the property described above.

Forfeiture pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1), 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), and Rule 32.2 of the

Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.

KELLY A. NORRIS

ACTING UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

ELIZABETH CARAGHTY (0072275)

Assistant United States Attorney

2